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Re: New Patent Application of: Pang-Ching CHIANG

Title: SUPPORT BANDAGE FOR A JOINT BETWEEN BONES

Sir:

Please find attached hereto an application for patent which includes:

- ☒ [x] Specification, Claims and Abstract (6 Pages)
- ☒ [x] 6 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Fig. 1 through Fig. 8)
- ☒ [x] Inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney (1 Page)
- ☒ [x] Fee (see formula below)
- ☒ [x] Small Entity status asserted

Basic Fee \$750/375

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Additional Fees:

Total number of claims: 3

in excess of 20: 0 times \$18/9

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Number of independent claims: 1

in excess of 3: 0 times \$84/42

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Multiple Dependent Claims \$280/140

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Recording Fee \$40.

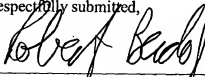
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